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P&G Case 8160M

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of	:	
M. L. VATTER ET AL.	:	
Serial No.: 09/902,321	:	Group Art Unit: 1619
Confirmation No.: 8449	:	
Filed: May 8, 2001	:	Examiner: A Berman
For: COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS	:	

AMENDMENT/RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Official Action mailed on January 24, 2002, which set a three-month period for response. A petition to extend the period for response three months to July 24th is submitted herewith in order that this amendment/response be considered timely. Please consider the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please substitute current title with "Emulsion Cosmetic Compositions Comprising an Emulsifying Crosslinked Siloxane Elastomer".

Please substitute the second full paragraph of page 6 of the specification with the following paragraph:

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" The organopolysiloxanes of the invention are obtained, in particular, according to the protocol of Examples 3, 4, and of the document EP-A545002 (or US-5,421,004) and from the examples of the document US-A-5,811,487."

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows.

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3. (Amended) The cosmetic composition of Claim 1 wherein said discontinuous phase is selected from the group consisting of polyhydric alcohol, water and mixtures thereof.

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9. (Amended) The cosmetic composition of Claim 8 wherein said solid particle is selected from the group consisting of gums, chalk, Fuller's earth, talc, kaolin, iron oxide, mica, sericite, muscovite, phlogopite, synthetic mica, lepidolite, biotite, lithia mica, vermiculite, magnesium carbonate, calcium carbonate, aluminum silicate, starch, smectite clays, alkyl and/or trialkyl aryl ammonium smectites, chemically modified magnesium aluminum silicate, organically modified montmorillonite clay, hydrated aluminum silicate, fumed silica, aluminum starch, octenyl succinate barium silicate, calcium silicate, magnesium silicate, strontium silicate, metal tungstate, magnesium, silica alumina, zeolite, barium sulfate, calcined calcium sulfate, calcium phosphate, fluorine apatite,